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Confirmation No.: 7317

Serial No.: 09/774,202

Group Art Unit: 2162

Filed: January 29, 2001

Examiner: Alam, Shahid Al

For: ONLINE DATABASE TABLE REORGANIZATION

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed March 10, 2005, Applicant hereby elects Group III, Claims 30-33, 44-46, 57-59, with traverse.

Applicant traverses the restriction of Groups I, II, and III. For example, Group III and Group III recite a method for reorganizing a database table online. Group III claims steps including a vacate move step and a fill move step. Group II claims steps that similarly include a vacate move step and a fill move step. The Group II claims also recite clean up steps that additionally define the invention, but these Groups are sufficiently similar to be

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examined in one patent application.

In addition, Group I and Group II both recite a method for reorganizing a database table online. Group I recites moving records and and using reorganization pointers, and Group II recites move steps for relocating records using temporary pointers. Both Groups recite constraints related to scanner processes. These Groups therefore are sufficiently similar to be examined in one application.

Should the Examiner believe that a telephone conference would expedite the prosecution of this application, the undersigned can be reached at the telephone number set out below.

Respectfully submitted,

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April 11, 2005

Date

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